

**Town Records and Reports**  
**OF THE**  
**TOWN OFFICERS**

**TOWN OF ACUSHNET**



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## TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

Fire Department (Emergency) .....	995-1423
Fire Department (Business) .....	995-1554
Police Department .....	995-5191

## TOWN SERVICES

Accountant .....	998-1381
Assessors .....	995-0414
Building Inspector .....	995-0956
Cemetery Department .....	763-2084
Council on Aging .....	995-8528
Dog Officer .....	995-5191
Free Library .....	995-5414
Gas Inspector .....	763-5686
Health Board .....	995-1908
Highway Department .....	995-4224
Park Department .....	995-1264
Planning Board .....	995-7514
Plumbing Inspector .....	995-4258
Selectmen .....	995-1141
Superintendent of Schools .....	995-1125
Tax Collector .....	995-2915
Town Clerk and Treasurer .....	995-2915
Veterans' Services .....	995-1141
Visiting Nurse .....	995-1908
Wire Inspector .....	995-1983

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OF THE  
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OF  
**ACUSHNET**  
MASSACHUSETTS



FOR THE  
**Year Ending December 31st**  
**1973**



THE BAKER MANUFACTURING COMPANY / PRINTERS  
NEW BEDFORD, MASS. 02742

# In Memoriam



CHARLES M. GIBBS  
Deceased January 26, 1973  
Police Officer and Civil Defense



ARMAND FORTIER  
Deceased February 18, 1973  
Veterans Agent



CLARENCE ELLWOOD TABER, JR.  
Deceased June 30, 1973  
Dog Officer

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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

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To the Citizens of Acushnet:

We submit herewith our report for the year ending December 31, 1973, though the fiscal year presently ends June 30, 1974.

This year saw the return of Clement St. Amand, Jr., following a three (3) year lapse. He is now serving his sixth term. At the reorganizational meeting held in March Robert E. Honohan was elected as chairman.

As in the past the Board met every Monday evening commencing at 7 p.m., with meetings terminating as late as Midnight on several occasions. In addition many meetings have been held with several governmental agencies in Greater New Bedford, also in Taunton and Boston.

There is no doubt 1973 was a time of vast accomplishment. The drainage system in Westgate Park was nearly completed and this is a \$270,000 project. Nye's Lane, Phase II drainage and reconstruction was completed, reconstruction of Westland St., Pleasant St., Porter St., Cushman St., Keene Rd., Henrietta Drive, also many other roads were reconstructed in part.

We entered into a cooperative purchasing agreement with the towns of Fairhaven, Dartmouth, Freetown, Westport and Rochester in the purchase of rock salt, thus realizing a substantial savings to the taxpayers, also this could lead to future similar agreements and could result in substantial savings.

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The Highway Garage was refurbished, landscaping done by young Alfred Robichaud, who performed this outstanding feat gratis.

We received the sum of \$201,375 from Revenue Sharing, which is being utilized and has helped in the financial burdens placed on our taxpayers.

Cable Television is on the horizon, having been promised programming during the coming year.

Our newly formed Street Name and Safety Committee have been hard at work and thus far have accomplished a great deal.

We continued to receive summer help from the Neighborhood Youth Corps program, also the EEA program, thus a substantial saving to the town and employment for our youth.

The Regional Solid Waste Committee consisting of Acushnet, Fairhaven, Dartmouth and New Bedford are progressing and in a short time will have a final proposal for decision of the voters.

We would like to point out the many accomplishments throughout town are the result of cooperation from many boards, individuals and our engineering firm, Tibbetts Engineering Corp.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert E. Honohan

Gerard Charest

Clement St. Amand, Jr.

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**TOWN OFFICERS — 1973 - 1974**

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**TOWN CLERK-TREASURER-COLLECTOR**

Allan L. Rawcliffe Term Expires 1975

**BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

Robert E. Honohan Term Expires 1974

Gerard Charest Term Expires 1975

Clement St. Amand Term Expires 1976

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS**

James S. Madruga, Jr. Term Expires 1974

Eugene L. Dabrowski Term Expires 1975

Rudolph H. Urbanek Term Expires 1976

**BOARD OF HEALTH**

Emile R. Houle Term Expires 1974

Girard St. Amand Term Expires 1975

Joseph H. LePage Term Expires 1976

**SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

Douglas W. Andre Term Expires 1974

Frederick L. Duguay, Jr. Term Expires 1974

Paul E. Bonville Term Expires 1975

William D. Savage Term Expires 1975

William E. Jenkinson Term Expires 1976

**COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS**

Joyce Ann Collins Term Expires 1974

Francis D. O'Leary Term Expires 1975

Leo T. Jackson Term Expires 1976



## **ANNUAL REPORT, TOWN OF ACUSHNET**

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### **TRUSTEES OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Georgette A. Owen	Term Expires 1974
Walter E. Owen	Term Expires 1975
Kenneth L. Vincent	Term Expires 1976

### **CEMETERY BOARD**

Arthur L. Tripp	Term Expires 1974
Raymond J. Fortin	Term Expires 1975
Gerard A. J. Bergeron	Term Expires 1976

### **PARK COMMISSIONERS**

Joseph P. Jason	Term Expires 1974
Benjamin T. Briggs III	Term Expires 1975
George Fagundes	Term Expires 1976

### **PLANNING BOARD**

Ronald R. Labonte	Term Expires 1974
Robert W. Hall	Term Expires 1975
Henry L. Guilbeault	Term Expires 1976
Alfred J. Boulanger	Term Expires 1977
Roland Benoit	Term Expires 1978

### **HOUSING AUTHORITY**

John Sousa	Term Expires 1974
Joao M. Acucena	Term Expires 1975
John Sylvia	Term Expires 1976
Robert A. Bergeron (resigned 6/12/1973)	Term Expires 1977
Emile R. Houle	Term Expires 1978
Camille P. Boyer (appointed 6/25/73)	Term Expires 1974

### **MODERATOR**

A. P. Stuart Gilmore	Term Expires 1975
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### **TREE WARDEN**

Edwin A. Springer	Term Expires 1975
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**RESULTS OF THE ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION  
MARCH 5, 1973**

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Register of voters as of close of Registration on February 13, 1973.

Pre- cint	Democrats		Republicans		Unenrolled		Total
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	
1	364	401	50	51	322	316	1504
2	279	292	61	64	365	332	1393
3	267	260	84	92	485	512	1700
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	910	953	195	207	1172	1160	4597
Democrats			1863		Men		2277
Republicans			402		Women		2320
Unenrolled			2332				<hr/>
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			4597				

**SELECTMEN**

**Three Years**

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Precinct 3	Total
Benjamin T. Briggs	282	360	365	1007
Teddy Cioper	327	274	429	1030
Clement St. Amand	474	367	406	1247
Blanks	7	3	4	14
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

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**ASSESSORS**

**Three Years**

Rudolph H. Urbanek	904	774	1000	2678
Scattered	0	0	1	1
Blanks	186	230	203	619
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

**SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

**Three Years**

William E. Jenkinson	856	754	953	2563
Scattered	2	0	8	10
Blanks	232	250	243	725
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

**BOARD OF HEALTH**

**Three Years**

Joseph H. LePage	545	443	523	1511
Leonel Hipolito	202	153	131	486
Peter J. Quail	293	377	507	1177
Scattered	0	0	1	1
Blanks	50	31	42	123
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

**COMMISSIONER OF TRUST FUNDS**

**Three Years**

Leo T. Jackson	6	7	24	37
Charles T. Blank	1	0	14	15
Scattered	9	6	13	28
Blanks	1074	991	1153	3218
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

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**TRUSTEE OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**Three Years**

Kenneth L. Vincent	889	765	985	2639
Scattered	1	0	0	1
Blanks	200	239	219	658
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

**CEMETERY BOARD**

**Three Years**

Gerard A. J. Bergeron	57	26	56	139
Everett L. Hardy, Jr.	4	4	0	8
Scattered	4	6	9	19
Blanks	1025	968	1139	3132
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

**PARK COMMISSIONER**

**Three Years**

George Fagundes	863	743	974	2580
Scattered	1	1	0	2
Blanks	226	260	230	716
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

**PLANNING BOARD**

**Five Years**

Roland Benoit	571	500	505	1576
Raymond L. Poirier	446	431	632	1509
Scattered	0	1	0	1
Blanks	73	72	67	212
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

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**HOUSING AUTHORITY**

**Five Years**

Emile R. Houle	888	753	965	2606
Scattered	0	1	5	6
Blanks	202	250	234	686
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Total	1090	1004	1204	3298

Attest:

ALLAN L. RAWCLIFFE,

Town Clerk

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**OFFICERS APPOINTED  
BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

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**FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Richard Ellis	1974
Arthur Howard, Jr.	1974
Edward D. Koranek	1974
Herve W. Robichaud	1975
David Trindade	1975
John Worthington, Jr., Chairman	1975
Walton E. Braley, Jr.	1976
James S. Madruga	1976
David J. Oliver	1976

**POLICE COMMISSIONERS**

Robert E. Honohan	1974
Gerard Charest	1975
Clement St. Amand, Jr.	1976

**EXECUTIVE SECRETARY**

Alfred E. Portway

**TOWN ACCOUNTANT**

Wilfred C. Fortin

**CONSTABLES**

Roland Demers                      Roger Deschamps      Earle F. Parker

**KEEPER OF THE LOCKUP**

Joseph E. Pelletier (New Bedford Police Chief)

**DOG OFFICER**

Roger Deschamps

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### **RESERVE POLICE OFFICERS**

Edwin E. Brackett	Raymond T. Kuthan
Norman Choquette	Arthur Morris
Edward Farfalowski	Joseph F. Resendes
Oscar Forand	Oliver Santos
Sylvano Frates	Frank Czaya

Rene Dube

### **REGISTRARS OF VOTERS**

Lucien Letendre	1974
Arthur G. Leblanc	1975
Joseph N. Cormier	1976

### **FIRE CHIEF, FOREST WARDEN, INSPECTOR OF GARAGES**

Everett Booker, resigned

### **FIRE CHIEF**

Arsene J. Cusson

### **PERSONNEL BOARD**

James Madruga, Chairman	1974
James R. Rooney	1974
Edmond Whalley	1974
Robert Comeau	1975
Carl R. Saunders	1975

### **CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

Ralph Macomber	1974
Eugene Miller, Jr.	1974
David White	1974
Edward Sylvia	1975
Alton Taber	1975
Peter F. Murphy, Chairman	1976
Frank Pedro, Jr.	1976

### **SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS**

Stanley Stopka

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**MOTH SUPERINTENDENT**

**(Insect Pest Control, Dutch Elm Disease)**

Edwin Springer

**VETERANS' AGENT  
DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES**

Michael P. Moses (Arsene J. Cusson, resigned)

**BURIAL AGENT FOR INDIGENT SOLDIERS AND SAILORS  
VETERANS GRAVES OFFICER**

Michael P. Moses (Arsene J. Cusson, resigned)

**TOWN COUNSEL**

Ferdinand B. Sowa

**CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR**

James S. Madruga, Jr.  
Everett Booker, resigned

**PUBLIC WEIGHERS**

William Craig  
Donat Desrochers  
Lawrence Levesque

Paul R. Fredette, Jr.  
Samuel F. Stowell, Jr.  
Roland T. Lajeunesse

**ELECTION OFFICERS**

**Precinct 1**

Valmore Gonneville  
Aulette LaPalme  
Antoinette Boissoneau  
Laura G. Dulude  
Aurore A. Gonneville  
Doris L. Laiscell  
Eva Mach

Warden  
Clerk  
Inspector  
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Inspector  
Inspector  
Inspector



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### **Precinct 2**

Claire Gonsalves	Warden
Lois Pinchbeck	Clerk
Yvette Fortin	Inspector
Ruth Rawcliffe	Inspector
Florence Olivier	Inspector
Genevieve Hathaway	Inspector

### **Precinct 3**

Amelia Jardin	Warden
Edith Boardman, resigned	Clerk
Josephine V. Allen	Inspector
Hilary Braley	Inspector
Olive M. Laycock	Inspector
Anna Sameiro	Inspector
Doris St. Amand	Inspector
Bertha St. Don	Inspector
Shirley M. Richard	Inspector

### **BY-LAW REVIEW COMMITTEE**

Edwin Springer, Chairman	1976
Ronald J. Pelletier, Vice Chairman	1976
Wayne C. Kingsley, Secretary	1976
Norman E. Nichols	1976
Wilfrid Coderre	1976
Norman J. Robert, resigned	1976

### **COUNCIL ON AGING**

Emily Dunbar, Secretary	1974
Benjamin Gilmore	1974
B. Edna Rawcliffe	1974
Sylvano Frates	1975
Michael Linkiewicz	1975
Valmore Gonneville	1976
Lionel Tetreault	1976

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### **GAS DEPARTMENT**

Robert L. Cummings, Jr., Inspector (Civil Service)  
Alexander Duff, Deputy Inspector

### **WIRE DEPARTMENT**

John T. Koska, Inspector (Civil Service)  
Joseph DeCosta, Deputy Inspector

### **BUILDING DEPARTMENT**

Rene Pepin, Inspector (Civil Service)  
Amos Souza, Deputy Inspector

### **HISTORICAL COMMISSION**

Josephine V. Allen	1974
Richard Driscoll, Vice Chairman	1974
Bertha E. Holt	1974
Harold Crapo	1975
Leo T. Jackson, Chairman	1975
Janet Martin	1976
Ronald Gaudette	1976
Madeleine C. Kaduboski, resigned (secretary)	

### **BOARD OF APPEALS**

John M. Anjos	1974
Natalio Gomes, Clerk	1974
Antonio Finocchi, Chairman	1975
Charles Gelinas, Jr., Vice Chairman	1975
Samuel T. Lowe, Associate Member	1975
Adelard J. Jacques, Jr.	1976
Raymond L. Poirier, resigned	

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### **INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

Rudolph Coles	1974
Carl R. Saunders	1975
Charles Mayo, Chairman	1976
Norman Alley	1976
Peter M. Vercellone	1977
Robert J. Martin, resigned	

### **SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD**

Edward F. Joseph, Jr., Chairman	1974
Robert W. Hall	1974
Clement St. Amand, Jr.	1974
Stanley Stopka	1974
Alton Taber	1974

### **SAFETY COMMITTEE**

James S. Madruga, Jr.	1974
Donat Desrochers	1974
Chief Harold E. Bamber	1974
Chief Arsene J. Cusson	1974
David Sylvia	1974
Everett Booker, resigned	
Edgar S. Bonneau, deceased	

### **STREET NAME COMMITTEE**

Henry C. Avila	1974
Peter W. Koczera	1974
Richard A. Gonneville	1974
Manuel Goulart	1974
Albert Hubert	1974
Harold Harding, resigned	

### **ANIMAL INSPECTOR**

Otis J. Tripp

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TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS — 1973**  
**VITAL STATISTICS**

**Births:**

In Acushnet	0	
In other municipalities	87	
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Resident	87	
Non-Resident	0	
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Male	50	
Female	37	
	<hr/>	87

Affidavits and corrections 5

Marriage Intentions: 132

**Marriages:**

In Acushnet	81	
In other municipalities	70	
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Resident Bride and Groom	21	
Resident Groom	49	
Resident Bride	65	
Non-resident Bride and Groom	16	
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Deaths:

In Acushnet	19	
In other municipalities	57	
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Resident Deaths:

Women	25	
Men	40	
Non-resident Deaths:	11	
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Attest:

ALLAN L. RAWCLIFFE,

Town Clerk

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### JURY LIST

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The following were drawn as prospective Jurors for the year 1973 in compliance with Chapter 234 of the General Laws:

Joseph P. Laughlin	112 Middle Rd.	Salesman
Leo J. Desrosiers	37 Slocum St.	Accountant
Stephen McCann	74 Jean St.	Foreman
Richard R. Barrett	74 Lambert St.	Welder
Rita C. Forand	8 Parkside Ave.	At home
Florence Faria	104 Cushman St.	Housewife
Adelard Jacques	143 Main St.	Store Prop.
David Trindade	19 Lisa Ave.	Pressman
Violet E. Abram	11 Pembroke Ave.	Receptionist
John P. Santos	9 Manchester La.	Plumber
Joseph F. Bissonette	19 Birch St.	Gas Co.
Lawrence P. Mulvey	20 Nye Ave.	Gas Co.
Valmore H. Gonneville	12 Grant St.	Retired
Leo N. Coons	41 James St.	Tool Engineer
Anibal Medeiros	117 Porter St.	Super Drafter
June White	151 Lake St.	Housewife
Matthew Niziolek	74 Hope St.	Retired
Arthur P. Mello, Jr.	22 Oliveira Ave.	Driver Sales.
John J. Porte	11 Oliveira Ave.	Fireman
Yvette Bourassa	81 Middle Rd.	Housewife
Amedee Gautreau	788 Main St.	Retired
Richard V. Rego	209 Main St.	Office Worker
Herbert L. Lafleur, Jr.	12 Cushman St.	Handyman
Claire M. Jodoin	15 Birch St.	Saleswoman
William Duggan	18 Nye Ave.	Postal Clerk
Robert Chevalier	35 Pine Drive	Lineman
Statia Baron	82 Main St.	Tableworker

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Daniel J. Costa	13 Fairfield St.	Salesman
William E. Noble	63 James St.	Supervisor
Armand Cournoyer	199 So. Main St.	Scheduler
Gerald Girard	22 Main St.	Machine Oper.
Henri Hudon	16 Grant St.	Driver Sales.
Lionel Tetreault	50 Coulombe St.	Salesman
Roger Martel	122 James St.	Estimator
Edwin Gwozdz	10 Rene St.	Switchman
Paul E. Talbot	331 Mendall Rd.	Welder
Adelard Jacques, Sr.	143 Main St.	Store Prop.



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**TREASURER'S REPORT**

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**January 1, 1973 - December 31, 1973**

<i>Receipts</i>		<i>Disbursements</i>
\$ 145,961.52	Balance, Dec. 31, 1972 Payroll	\$1,244,296.19
5,168,541.30	Jan. 1 - Dec. 31st General	3,339,021.87
	Balance, December 31, 1973	731,184.76
<u>\$5,314,502.82</u>		<u>\$5,314,502.82</u>

**Reconciliation of Treasurer's Cash  
December 31, 1973**

Balances per bank statements:

National Bank of Fairhaven (General)	\$ 493,151.75	
National Bank of Fairhaven (Payroll)	15,411.59	
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.	198,923.41	
National Shawmut Bank of Boston	200,000.00	
	<u>\$ 907,486.75</u>	
Plus: Cash on Hand	<u>\$ 999.94</u>	\$ 908,486.69
Less: Outstanding checks		177,301.93
Balance, December 31, 1973		<u>\$ 731,184.76</u>
Cash Book Balance, December 31, 1973		<u>\$ 731,184.76</u>

Attest:

Allan L. Rawcliffe

Treasurer

# TOWN OF ACUSHNET — BALANCE SHEET

For the Year Ending December 31, 1972

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash:		Motor Vehicle Excise Revenue	21,066.03
General Funds	\$ 731,184.76	Special Assessments Revenue	2,722.02
Investment Funds	5,179.85	Tax Titles Revenue	6,835.14
Investment-Federal		Excess Book Value, Tax Titles 1967	603.88
Revenue Sharing	125,238.25	Tax Possession Revenue	980.94
Reserve For Petty		Loans Authorized Unissued	114,600.00
Cash	26.80	Departmental Revenue	810.11
	\$ 861,629.66	Water Interest and Costs	45.50
Motor Vehicle Excise-1972	2,652.70	Water Revenue	4,127.58
Motor Vehicle Excise-1973	18,413.33	Highway Funds (Chap. 822, Acts of 1963)	106.44
Special Assessments	2,722.02	Aid to Highway Revenue:	
Tax Titles:		Chapter 81	12,416.00
Levy of 1971	15.38	Reconstruction of Middle Road	48,426.81
Levy of 1972	583.17	State Tax Deductions	4,187.31
Levy or 1973	6,236.59	Life Insurance Deductions	56.12
Tax Possessions	980.94	Blue Cross-Blue Shield	374.51
Loans Authorized	114,600.00		

## ASSETS

Accounts Receivable: Veterans Benefits	810.11
Water Rates and Services	4,127.58
State and County:	
Chapter 81	12,416.00
Reconstruction of Middle Road	48,426.81
Federal Tax Deductions	3,582.26
Southeastern Mass. Air Pollution Control	5.26
Estimated Receipts	398,075.35
Revenue	977,768.07
Court Judgment-Elementary School	6,026.01

## LIABILITIES

Bristol County Retirement Fund	2,192.24
Teachers Retirement Fund	2,472.17
Pension Fund	20,093.82
County Tax	12,503.26
State Parks	2,916.41
Mosquito Control	329.22
Bristol County Dog Licenses	7.95
New Bedford Hurricane Barrier	2,031.43
Veterans Benefits Recoveries	2,303.18
School Milk and Lunch Fund	287.95
Reserve for Petty Cash	26.80
Lost Books - Schools	168.15
Sale of Real Estate Fund	2,800.00
Police - Accident Insurance	214.19
Outside Details - Police	91.64
Unclaimed Checks	10.93
Overlay	42,422.40
Overlay Reserve	30,921.47
Federal Revenue Sharing Funds	72,097.12
Excess and Deficiency	43,683.06
Water Surplus	1,912.79

# ASSETS

# LIABILITIES

## Appropriation Balances:

Revenue:

General

1,859,696.58

Water

10,132.49

Non Revenue:

New Elementary School

3,445.79

Repairs and Remodeling Parting Ways

14,868.56

Office Building

2,538.84

Peckham Road Water Main

78,880.12

Northwest Drainage Project

Federal Grants: Schools

Project MECA

183.98

Public Law 81-874

28,282.00

Elementary and Secondary

Education Act

965.80

Title 1, Project #74-003-152

3,232.51

\$2,459,071.24

\$2,459,071.24

WILFRED C. FORTIN,

Town Accountant

## ACUSHNET AT A GLANCE

Incorporated: February 13, 1860

Type of Government: Open Town Meeting

Population: 8,900 (estimated)

Valuation: \$9,675,575.00

Tax Rate: \$192.00

Registered Voters: 4,574

Total Area: 18 square miles

Number of Dwellings: 2,279 (including Mobile Homes)

Churches: 6

Public Schools: 2

Parochial Schools: 1

Banks, Credit Union: 1

Principal Industries:

golf ball mfg., road surface materials, farming, apple,  
peach orchards, box factory, saw mill, landscape nurseries

Twelfth Congressional District:

Congressman Gerry Studds — Tel. 9-1251

Fourth Bristol Representative District:

Rep. William Q. MacLean, Jr. — Tel. 2-4235

Second Bristol Senatorial District:

Senator Mary Fonseca — Tel. 672-4100

ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS: 1st Monday in March